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PROGRAMME OF MEETINGS AND AGENDA

SCHEDULED MEETINGS

Tuesday, 14 December 1993

SECURITY COUNCIL

4 p.m.	consultations of the whole (closed)	Consultation Room

1. Angola
2. Liberia
3. UNPROFOR
4. Other matters

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-eighth session

10 a.m.	78th PLENARY MEETING	General Assembly Hall

1. Strengthening of the coordination of humanitarian emergency assistance of the United Nations [44]:

   (a) Report of the Secretary-General (A/48/536);

   (b) Draft resolution (A/48/L.47).

2. Elimination of apartheid and establishment of a united, democratic and non-racial South Africa [38]:

   (a) Report of the Special Committee Against Apartheid (A/48/22);

   (b) Report of the Intergovernmental Group to Monitor the Supply and Shipping of Oil and Petroleum Products to South Africa (A/48/43);

   (c) Reports of the Secretary-General (A/48/467 and Add.1, A/48/523, A/48/691);

(d) Report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/48/657);

(e) Draft resolutions (A/48/L.29, A/48/L.30, A/48/L.31/Rev.1, A/48/L.36).

3. United Nations Educational and Training Programme for Southern Africa [39]:

(a) Report of the Secretary-General (A/48/524);

(b) Draft resolution (A/48/L.37).

3 p.m. 79th PLENARY MEETING General Assembly Hall

1. The situation in the Middle East [34]:

(a) Reports of the Secretary-General (A/48/522, A/48/607-S/26769);

(b) Draft resolution (A/48/L.32, A/48/L.34, A/48/L.46).

2. United Nations initiative on opportunity and participation: draft resolution (A/48/L.19/Rev.1) [151].

3. Adoption of the agenda of the forty-eighth regular session and organization of work: request for the reopening of the consideration of agenda item 47 submitted by Australia (A/48/749) [8].

Informal consultations

10 a.m. closed meeting Conference Room 8

Open-ended working group of the Plenary on agenda item 24 (United Nations New Agenda for the Development of Africa in the 1990s) (draft resolution A/48/L.24).

Committees

FIFTH COMMITTEE

Informal consultations

10 a.m.-1 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 5
3 p.m.-6 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 5
6.30 p.m.-9.30 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 5

Informal consultations on agenda item 123 (Proposed programme budget for the biennium 1994-1995)

9.30 p.m.-12.30 a.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 5

Informal consultations on agenda item 127 (Scale of assessments for the apportionment of the expenses of the United Nations)

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DISARMAMENT COMMISSION

Resumed organizational session

10 a.m.-1 p.m.	183rd meeting	Conference Room 4

ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE AND BUDGETARY QUESTIONS

3 p.m.-9 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 10

OTHER MEETINGS

ORIENTATION COURSE ON THE SECURITY COUNCIL FOR MEMBERS OF THE COUNCIL

10 a.m.-1 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 7
3 p.m.-6 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 8

AD HOC COMMITTEE OF THE AFRICAN GROUP ON UNITED NATIONS REFORMS

10.30 a.m.-1 p.m.	closed meeting	Economic and Social Council Chamber

ARAB GROUP OF THE WHOLE
(at the ambassadorial level)

11 a.m.-1 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 9

GROUP OF 77 THE WHOLE
(on the draft agendas of the Ad Hoc Working Group of the Commission on Sustainable Development)

3 p.m.-6 p.m.	closed meeting	Economic and Social Council Chamber

FORTHCOMING MEETINGS

Wednesday, 15 December 1993

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-eighth session

Committees

FIFTH COMMITTEE

10 a.m.	39th meeting	Conference Room 3

FIFTH COMMITTEE

Informal consultations

Morning*	closed meeting	Conference Room 5
3 p.m.	closed meeting	
6.30 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 5
9.30 p.m.	closed meeting	

* Following the adjournment of the 39th meeting of the Fifth Committee.

CREDENTIALS COMMITTEE

3 p.m.	2nd meeting	Conference Room 8

ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE AND BUDGETARY QUESTIONS

3 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 10

SUMMARY OF SCHEDULED MEETINGS

Monday, 13 December 1993

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-eighth session

76th plenary meeting

Question of the Comorian island of Mayotte [25]:

(a) Report of the Secretary-General (A/48/447);

(b) Draft resolution (A/48/L.48)

The representative of the Comoros made a statement in the course of which he introduced draft resolution A/48/L.48.

Statements were made by the representatives of Sierra Leone, Pakistan and France.

By 91 votes to 2, with 36 abstentions (recorded vote), the General Assembly adopted draft resolution A/48/L.48 (resolution 48/56).

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 25.

Elimination of apartheid and establishment of a united, democratic and non-racial South Africa [38]:

(a) Report of the Special Committee against Apartheid (A/48/22);

(b) Report of the Intergovernmental Group to Monitor the Supply and Shipping of Oil and Petroleum Products to South Africa (A/48/43);

(c) Reports of the Secretary-General (A/48/467 and Add.1, A/48/523, A/48/691);

(d) Report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/48/657);

(e) Draft resolutions (A/48/L.29, A/48/L.30, A/48/L.31/Rev.1, A/48/L.36)

United Nations Educational and Training Programme for Southern Africa [39]:

(a) Report of the Secretary-General (A/48/524);

(b) Draft resolution (A/48/L.37)

The General Assembly took note of the report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/48/657).

The Chairman of the Special Committee against Apartheid made a statement.

The rapporteur of the Special Committee against Apartheid introduced the report of the Special Committee (A/48/22).

The Chairman of the Intergovernmental Group to Monitor the Supply and Shipping of Oil and Petroleum Products to South Africa made a statement.

The Rapporteur of the Intergovernmental Group to Monitor the Supply and Shipping of Oil and Petroleum Products to South Africa introduced the report of the Group (A/48/43).

The Chairman of the Advisory Committee of the United Nations Educational and Training Programme for Southern Africa made a statement in the course of which he introduced draft resolution A/48/L.37.

The Chairman of the Committee of Trustees of the United Nations Trust Fund for South Africa made a statement in the course of which he introduced draft resolution A/48/L.36.

Statements were made by the representatives of Canada, Mozambique and India.

In accordance with the decision taken by the General Assembly at its 3rd plenary meeting, on 24 September 1993, the National Chairman of the African National Congress of South Africa made a statement.

77th plenary meeting

Elimination of apartheid and establishment of a united, democratic and non-racial South Africa [38]:

(a) Report of the Special Committee against Apartheid (A/48/22);

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United Nations Educational and Training Programme for Southern Africa [39]:

(a) Report of the Secretary-General (A/48/524);

(b) Draft resolution (A/48/L.37)

Statements were made by the representatives of Sri Lanka, Egypt, Botswana, Zambia, Austria, the United States, Trinidad and Tobago (on behalf of the States members of the Caribbean Community), Malaysia, Belgium (on behalf of the European Union), Uruguay, Indonesia, New Zealand, Guyana, Argentina and the Philippines.

In accordance with the decision taken by the General Assembly at its 3rd plenary meeting, on 24 September 1993, the Secretary-General of the Pan Africanist Congress of Azania made a statement.

Programme of work

The President announced the following updated programme of work:

Tuesday, 14 December morning	Strengthening of the coordination of of humanitarian emergency assistance of the United Nations [44]
	Elimination of apartheid and establishment of a united and non-racial South Africa [38]
	United Nations Educational and Training Programme for Southern Africa [39]
afternoon	The situation in the Middle East [34]
	United Nations initiative on opportunity and participation [151]
	Adoption of the agenda and organization of work [8]
Thursday, 16 December afternoon	Reports of the First Committee
Friday, 17 December	The situation in Bosnia and Herzegovina [42]
Monday, 20 December morning	Reports of the Third Committee

Committees

SECOND COMMITTEE — 47th and 48th meetings

Note: The summary of the 47th and 48th meetings of the Second Committee will appear in the next issue of the *Journal* (No. 1993/242).

THIRD COMMITTEE — 56th meeting

Report of the Economic and Social Council: organization of work of the Third Committee and draft biennial programme of work of the Committee for 1994-1995 [12]

The representative of the Department for Policy Coordination and Sustainable Development made a statement.

The Committee adopted the draft proposal A/C.3/48/L.84, as orally revised.

The Committee also adopted three decisions proposed by the Chairman.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of item 12.

Human rights questions [114]

(a) *Implementation of human rights instruments;*

(b) *Human rights questions, including alternative approaches for improving the effective enjoyment of human rights and fundamental freedoms;*

(c) *Human rights situations and reports of special rapporteurs and representatives.*

The Committee resumed its consideration of the item.

Draft resolution A/C.3/48/L.77

The representative of Belarus introduced oral revisions to the draft resolution.

The representative of Ireland proposed an oral amendment to the draft resolution as orally revised.

Statements were made by the representatives of Barbados, the Bahamas, Algeria and Chile.

The Committee then adopted the draft resolution as orally revised and amended.

Report of the Chairman of the Working Group of the Third Committee

The Chairman of the Working Group of the Third Committee made a statement.

The Chairman of the Third Committee made a statement.

Statements were made by the representatives of the United States and Algeria.

Organization of work

The Chairman made a statement.

FIFTH COMMITTEE 38th meeting

Proposed programme budget for the biennium 1994-1995 [123]

The Committee heard statements by the representatives of the Russian Federation and the Islamic Republic of Iran and thus concluded the general debate on this item.

Programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.1/48/L.6 on agenda item 72 (Regional confidence-building measures)

The Chairman of the Advisory Committee presented orally the report of that Committee. Statements were made by the representatives of Japan, Cuba, the Netherlands, Morocco and Ireland. The Controller and the Chairman of the Advisory Committee replied to questions raised during the debate.

Statements on points of procedure were made by the Chairman of the Committee and by the representatives of Canada, the Netherlands, Argentina, Cameroon, the United Kingdom, Japan and Cuba.

The Committee decided, without a vote, to inform the General Assembly that, should it adopt draft resolution A/C.1/48/L.6, no additional appropriation would be required under the programme budget for the biennium 1994-1995. The adoption of the resolution would constitute an exception to the existing principle that United Nations bodies should meet at their respective established headquarters and to the rules on payment of travel and subsistence costs for governmental representatives.

Statements in explanation of position were made by the representatives of Japan, Austria and the Netherlands.

Programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.1/48/L.19 on agenda item 82 (Implementation of the Declaration on the Denuclearization of Africa)

The Chairman of the Advisory Committee presented orally the report of that Committee.

The Committee decided, without a vote, to inform the General Assembly that, should it adopt draft resolution A/C.1/48/L.19, no additional appropriation would be required under the programme budget for the biennium 1994-1995. The adoption of the resolution would constitute an exception to the existing principle that United Nations bodies should meet at their respective established headquarters.

Statements in explanation of position were made by the representatives of the Netherlands, Japan and Austria.

Programme budget implications of draft resolutions A/C.1/48/L.40 and L.41 on agenda items 66 and 73 (Report of the Conference on Disarmament)

The Chairman of the Advisory Committee presented o the report of that Committee.

The Committee decided, without a vote, to inform General Assembly that, should it adopt draft resolut A/C.1/48/L.40 and L.41, an additional appropriatio $184,000 would be required under section 3B of programme budget for the biennium 1994-1995, as well a additional appropriation of $51,500 under section 28 (assessment) to be offset by an increase in the same am under income section 1 (Income from staff assessm subject to the guidelines for the use of the contingency fu accordance with the provisions of resolution 42/211.

Statements in explanation of position were made by representatives of the Netherlands and Cuba.

Organization of work

Statements were made by the Chairman and by representative of Argentina.

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ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL

COMMITTEE ON ECONOMIC, SOCIAL AND CULTURAL RIGHTS
Ninth session
United Nations Office at Geneva

THURSDAY, 9 DECEMBER 1993

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Consideration of reports submitted by States partie accordance with articles 16 and 17 of the Covenant [4]

The Committee continued its consideration of the ite closed session, concluding observations with respect to reports examined at the current session.

The Committee adopted the concluding observations respect to State reports examined at the ninth session.

The Committee concluded its consideration of agenda 4.

Annual report to the Economic and Social Council

The Committee considered and adopted as amende annual report to the Economic and Social Council.

Closure of the session

The ninth session of the Committee was declared clo

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